

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

October 27, 2015



This day in California History (1972): President and First Lady Nixon visit and establish Golden Gate National Recreation Area signing Public Law 92-589 which protected 80,002 acres of landscapes surrounding the San Francisco Bay Area.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

| State Operations Center | Inland Region EOC | Coastal Region EOC | Southern Region EOC |
|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Level 1                 | Level 1           | Level 1            | Level 1             |

### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

### Weather of Concern

- Gusty north winds will develop behind a frontal system crossing Northern and Central California Wednesday night through Thursday night. There is a potential for wind gusts of 50 to 60 mph through passes and canyons of Santa Barbara, Ventura and Los Angeles Counties, including the Interstate 5 Corridor. Winds will shift to the northeast Friday night into Saturday with gusts 40 to 50 mph across the mountains and valleys of Ventura and Los Angeles Counties. Humidities may lower into the teens Friday afternoon through Saturday as the Santa Ana winds bring warming and drying to the area. This will bring elevated fire danger to the area with a potential for briefly critical fire weather conditions on Friday.

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php)



# North – Northeast Winds Wed Night - Sat

## North Winds

**Wednesday night –  
Thursday night**

- Gusts 50-60 mph possible
- Santa Barbara, Ventura & L.A. Counties
- Winds accelerating through passes & Canyons including the I-5 Corridor

## Northeast Winds Friday & Saturday

- Gusts 40-50 mph possible
- Ventura & L.A. County Mountains and Valleys
- Very dry conditions with humidity lowering into the teens
- **Elevated Fire danger Friday & Saturday**
- **Brief Critical conditions possible**

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

#### **Eureka Weather:**

Dry conditions are expected through much of today before another storm system approaches the area and brings increasing rain chances tonight and Wednesday.

#### **Medford Weather:**

Today the front will bring around an inch over the Curry coast, half an inch over the Coos coast, and a tenth to a quarter of an inch of rain elsewhere west of the Cascade crest tonight and Wednesday morning. The storm pulls away to the east Wednesday afternoon, and then the area is left with moist, northwest flow through Thursday. This will mean a continued chance for showers over the coast and upslope areas in the Umpqua and Cascades north of Highway 140. Rain chances will dwindle elsewhere Wednesday afternoon through Thursday. For the weekend, most of locations will be dry with the storm track remaining north of the forecast area, although there could be intermittent light rain over the extreme north part of the region.

#### **Reno Weather:**

Low pressure will move into the region tonight with showers for Wednesday and Wednesday night. Dry and warm conditions should return for the end of the week. A cold system may impact the Sierra and western Nevada for the start of next week with the potential for strong winds, showers and mountain snow.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

Mostly cloudy skies are forecast today ahead of an incoming weather system that may produce a few showers or light sprinkles over the North Bay this afternoon. Light rain chances increase overnight into Wednesday morning as the main cold front will pass through the state with the best chance of rain for the North Bay. Morning light rain turns to showers by Wednesday afternoon before ending. High pressure builds Thursday through Halloween with dry and mild weather along with some breezy north winds in the hills. A colder trough may arrive from the north by Sunday or Monday with the next chance of rain.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

Dry and mild weather continues today. A weather system will bring scattered showers to the region tonight through Wednesday. Breezy north winds are likely Thursday into Friday.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

Increasing clouds are forecast today with mountain showers developing tonight. Sprinkles and possible light rain showers spreading south are expected Wednesday. Little or no accumulation is expected in the San Joaquin Valley. Clearing by Thursday and continued dry and warm conditions through Saturday. Mountain showers are expected on Sunday becoming more widespread through Monday.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

An upper level trough will bring a cooling trend to the region through Wednesday, along with increasing cloudiness. There could be a few showers, especially across northern sections Wednesday into Wednesday night. Some showers may linger on northern slopes Thursday. Gusty winds are expected across portions of the region Wednesday night through Friday. A warming trend is expected Friday and Saturday as an upper ridge moves into the area, and then another trough will bring cooler weather Sunday into Monday.

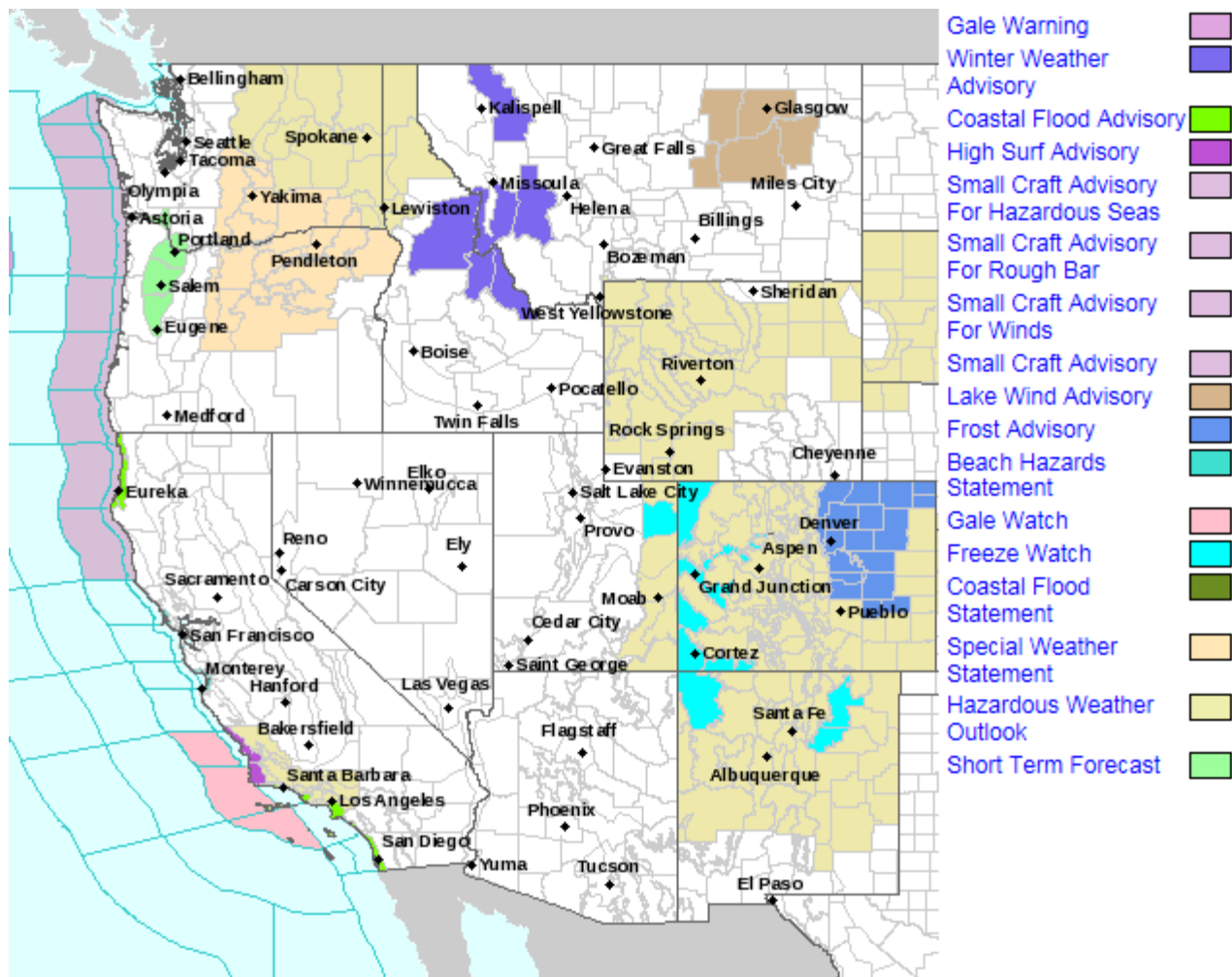
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Slightly cooler conditions forecast today under weakening high pressure. A low pressure system from the northwest will bring cooling and a deeper marine layer for Wednesday and Thursday with gusty west winds in the mountains and deserts. There is also a slight chance of showers. Northeast flow aloft and surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring gusty Santa Ana winds below and near the Santa Ana Mountains and Foothills for Friday. Warmer conditions with weaker winds are forecast for Saturday and then slightly cooler for Sunday. For late Monday and Tuesday, a low pressure system from the northwest will bring cooling and a chance for showers.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Dry weather with above normal temperatures will continue across the region through Wednesday. This will be followed by breezy and much cooler weather Thursday and Friday as a cold front moves through the region. There is a chance of showers Thursday and Friday. Clearing skies are forecast for Saturday with a return to near normal temperatures on Sunday and Monday.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every other Monday at 1100 hours.

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 62 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 28 Counties: Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-19449, 10/26/15, 1945 hours**, Marin County Search and Rescue requested assistance in searching for a 50-year old male missing person. A boat capsized on the bay side of Tomales Point around 0815 hours on 10/26/15. There were three subjects on board who all ended up in the water. One swam to the rocks and was rescued by fire personnel, another was found in the water deceased and the third is still missing. Main County is requesting (4)-C3 Water Cadaver Dogs and (10) Type 2 Ground Searchers to assist in locating the missing male. The Incident Command Post and staging area are at Pierce Point Road, Inverness City in Marin County, map coordinates: 38.1889 by -122.9539. Searchers and K9 teams will meet at the ICP on 10/27/15 @ 0830. Sonoma and Contra Costa County Sheriff Search & Rescue and CARTA are providing the requested resources for this search. **Mission On-Going.**

## On-Going Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-19425, 10/25/15, 1100 hours**, Santa Clara County Sheriff requested (1) K9 Cadaver (HRD) Team and (1) Flanker-Technical Support SAR member for a search in Santa Clara on Tuesday, **10/27/15, 0726 hours**, [CARDA is providing support for this mission.](#) **Mission On-Going**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*